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Dear Mr. Zobrist: The attached letter from Chief of the History & Publications Division of the National Security Agency, requests access for both him and official NSA historians, to review various CIA documents that your Library holds; the subjects of interest are included in this request. They now plan to visit your Library approximately 23-25 March 1982. This Agency has verified Messrs. and TOP SECRET and SI clearances, and this letter is to authorize their access to such CIA materials as may be pertinent to their research. Also attached for your convenience is a copy of CIA Access Policy Concerning Presidential Libraries (revised July 1977). As indicated in Paragraphs 3-4 of this Access Policy, these historians are free to take notes and make copies of any CIA materials reviewed. Such notes and copies of documents must be collected at the Truman Library and either forwarded to NARS for transmittal to this office, or sent directly to this office, for review before final release or denial. We shall notify the Truman Library of this Agency's decisions with respect to all documents and notes reviewed. We are also forwarding copies of this authorization to Mr. James O'Neill, Assistant Archivist for Presidential Libraries, NARS. Sincerely yours, J. Kenneth McDonald Chief Historian Attachments: As stated Distribution: This document is UNCLASSIFIED 0&1-Addressee w/a++ when separated from attachment. STAT wo/att

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